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DOCUMENTATION

Attached are _____ () sheet(s) of formal drawings. Please substitute these corrected drawings for the corresponding _____ () sheets of drawings on file in the above-identified application.

Attached is a preliminary amendment.

Attached are substitute claims commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(h).

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Applicant hereby respectfully petitions for a () month(s) extension of time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The required fee of \$0.00 is attached hereto.

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

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